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METHOD OF DETECTING TORQUE DISTURBANCES IN A HYBRID VEHICLE

the specification of which is attached hereto.

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the specification identified above, including the claims.

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